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#### NOTIFICATION

The following Act passed by the Sikkim Legislative Assembly and having received assent of the Governor on 20th day of September, 2015 is hereby published for general information:-

# THE SIKKIM MUNICIPALITIES (AMENDMENT) ACT, 2015 (ACT NO. 8 OF 2015)

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**ACT** 

further to amend the Sikkim Municipalities Act, 2007.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of Sikkim on the Sixty-sixth Year of the Republic of India as follows:-

## Short title, extent and commencement

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- (1) This Act may be called the Sikkim Municipalities (Amendment) Act, 2015.
  - (2) It shall come into force at once.

## Insertion of new section 15 A

- 2. In the Sikkim Municipalities Act, 2007, (herein after referred to as the said Act), after sub-section (4) of section 15 the following the new section shall be inserted, namely:-
  - "15A Nominated Councillors: The State Government may nominate Councillors from amongst those Communities who have not been adequately represented in the Municipalities."

## Amendment of section 27

- 3. (i) In the said Act, in section 27, after sub-section (1) and the entries relating thereto, the following section shall be inserted namely:-
  - "(2) The Executive body of the Municipal Corporation may elect a Chairman from amongst the Executive Members to head the Subject Committee so constituted under sub-section (1)";
  - (ii) the existing sub-section (2) and the entries related thereto shall be renumbered as sub-section(3) of that section.

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